

AMENDMENTS TO LB 599

(Amendments to E & R amendments, ER276)

Introduced by Schilz

1           1. Strike section 1 and insert the following new  
2 sections:

3           Section 1. Section 4-111, Revised Statutes Cumulative  
4 Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

5           4-111 Verification of lawful presence in the United  
6 States pursuant to section 4-108 requires that the applicant for  
7 public benefits attest in a format prescribed by the Department of  
8 Administrative Services that:

9           (1) He or she is a United States citizen; or

10          (2) He or she is a qualified alien under the federal  
11 Immigration and Nationality Act, 8 U.S.C. 1101 et seq., as such act  
12 existed on January 1, 2009, and is lawfully present in the United  
13 States.

14          A state agency or political subdivision of the State  
15 of Nebraska may adopt and promulgate rules and regulations or  
16 procedures for the electronic filing of the attestation required  
17 under this section if such attestation is substantially similar to  
18 the format prescribed by the Department of Administrative Services.  
19 It is the intent of the Legislature that an applicant for benefits  
20 under section 5 of this act provide the attestation required by  
21 this section as part of such application.

22          Sec. 2. Section 4-112, Revised Statutes Cumulative

1 Supplement, 2010, is amended to read:

2           4-112 For any applicant who has executed a document  
3 described in subdivision (2) of section 4-111, eligibility for  
4 public benefits shall be verified through the Systematic Alien  
5 Verification for Entitlements Program operated by the United States  
6 Department of Homeland Security or an equivalent program designated  
7 by the United States Department of Homeland Security. Until such  
8 verification of eligibility is made, such attestation may be  
9 presumed to be proof of lawful presence for purposes of sections  
10 4-108 to 4-113 and section 5 of this act unless such verification  
11 is required before providing the public benefit under another  
12 provision of state or federal law.

13           2. On page 2, line 18; and page 5, lines 15 and 16,  
14 strike "4" and insert "5".

15           3. On page 6, lines 18 and 19, strike "and immigration  
16 status".

17           4. On page 9, line 2 strike "section 4-110" and insert  
18 "sections 4-111 and 4-112".

19           5. Renumber the remaining sections accordingly.